

DECLARATION FOR USA PATENT APPLICATION

(including Design and National Stage PCT)

Attorney's Docket ID: _____

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below adjacent to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought

on the invention entitled: DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM
the specification of which:

_____ is attached hereto.

(or)

☒ was filed on 18 March 1999 as PCT International Application No. PCT/AU99/00171

and (if applicable) was amended on 11 October 1999.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

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Prior Foreign Application No.

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**STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(b)) – INDEPENDENT INVENTOR**

Docket No.: _____

Applicant or Patentee: GREGORY FENDIS

Application or Patent No.: PCT/AU99/00171

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Title: DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM

As a below named inventor, I hereby state that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office described in:

- The specification filed herewith with title as listed above.
☒ The application identified above.
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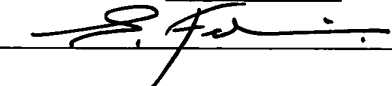
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